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## Arkansas Crop Progress and Condition

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This report contains the results from the **Crop Progress and Condition** weekly survey and data from the Southern Regional Climate Center. The survey is completed by county extension agents' visual observations and contact with producers in their county. These data are also posted on our web site at <https://www.nass.usda.gov/ar> and in a more detailed report at <https://www.nass.usda.gov>. Thanks to all of the county extension agents who responded to this survey.

**Week Ending: September 27, 2020**

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According to the National Agricultural Statistics Service in Arkansas, there were 3.2 days suitable for fieldwork for the **week ending Sunday, September 27, 2020**. Topsoil moisture supplies were 1 percent very short, 15 percent short, 64 percent adequate, and 20 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies were 2 percent very short, 12 percent short, 66 percent adequate, and 20 percent surplus. Low temperatures ranged from 49.2 degrees Fahrenheit at Lead Hill to 63.3 degrees Fahrenheit at Eudora. Highs ranged from 65.0 degrees Fahrenheit at Prescott to 78.2 degrees Fahrenheit at Portland. Moderate to heavy precipitation was received throughout the State, with the highest concentration occurring in the southeast part of the State with an average of 5.29 inches.

**Crop Progress for Week Ending September 27, 2020**

Crop	This week (percent)	Last week (percent)	Last year (percent)	5-year average (percent)
Corn mature	100	98	99	100
Corn harvested	75	62	86	91
Cotton bolls opening	95	91	93	93
Cotton harvested	6	1	19	15
Peanuts dug	38	22	40	28
Peanuts harvested	5	2	12	8
Rice mature	96	92	95	98
Rice harvested	57	44	69	77
Soybeans coloring	83	73	81	86
Soybeans dropping leaves	60	48	58	67
Soybeans mature	45	34	(NA)	(NA)
Soybeans harvested	17	12	23	30

(NA) Not available.

**Crop Condition for Week Ending September 27, 2020**

Item	Very poor (percent)	Poor (percent)	Fair (percent)	Good (percent)	Excellent (percent)
Cotton	1	3	16	50	30
Hay, alfalfa	0	0	46	54	0
Hay, other	2	15	45	32	6
Livestock	1	7	37	44	11
Pasture	2	12	39	42	5
Peanuts	0	1	7	49	43
Rice	1	6	32	43	18
Soybeans	2	7	27	50	14
Vegetables	4	3	30	41	22

The USDA NASS National Crop Progress release is a more detailed report including crop progress and condition at the National level. You can locate that release at: <https://release.nass.usda.gov/reports/prog4020.pdf>

# Arkansas Weather Summary for Week Ending September 27, 2020

Division/Station	Air temperature					Precipitation				
	Max	Min	Avg	Norm <sup>1</sup>	DFN <sup>2</sup>	One week	Rain days	DFN <sup>2</sup>	Four weeks	Four weeks DFN <sup>2</sup>
<b>Northwest</b>										
Kingston	71.1	52.9	62.0	65.7	-3.7	0.33	2	(NA)	3.54	(NA)
Lead Hill	72.0	49.2	60.6	64.3	-4.3	0.05	1	-0.63	2.29	-1.15
Winslow	71.3	57.4	64.4	(NA)	(NA)	0.65	5	(NA)	4.69	(NA)
Average	71.5	53.2	62.3	65.0	-4.0	0.34	5	-0.63	3.51	-1.15
<b>North central</b>										
Calico Rock	73.4	53.7	63.6	65.6	-2.0	0.15	2	-0.88	2.48	-1.26
Evening Shade	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	0	-0.11	4.68	2.04
Gilbert	74.7	54.9	64.8	66.9	-2.1	0.43	1	-0.58	2.24	-1.46
Mammoth Spring	73.9	54.3	64.1	65.1	-1.0	0.00	0	-0.91	1.72	-1.88
Mountain Home	75.0	54.4	64.7	67.0	-2.3	0.00	0	-0.94	2.02	-1.94
Mountain View	74.3	55.4	64.9	67.4	-2.6	0.51	2	-0.48	6.55	2.80
Average	74.3	54.5	64.4	66.4	-2.0	0.18	2	-0.65	3.28	-0.28
<b>Northeast</b>										
Corning	73.3	57.9	65.6	68.0	-2.4	0.06	3	-0.82	3.20	0.02
Jonesboro	69.0	57.8	63.4	68.2	-4.7	1.37	3	0.64	4.97	2.31
Keiser	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	69.8	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.02	-0.35
Newport	70.6	57.7	64.1	69.0	-4.9	2.35	2	1.63	5.65	2.84
Pocahontas	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	0	-0.11	3.43	0.98
Searcy	75.2	60.8	68.0	69.2	-1.7	0.99	1	0.54	3.40	0.71
Average	72.0	58.6	65.3	68.9	-3.4	0.95	3	0.38	3.61	1.08
<b>West central</b>										
Booneville	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	1.03	3	0.58	1.03	-0.86
Dardanelle	76.2	59.1	67.5	70.2	-2.7	1.00	3	(NA)	8.19	(NA)
Mena	72.6	57.0	64.8	67.7	-2.9	1.56	3	0.35	11.10	6.74
Subiaco	72.7	56.4	64.6	69.3	-4.7	1.30	5	0.49	10.87	7.34
Waldron	73.2	56.4	64.8	67.7	-3.3	0.86	3	0.15	11.48	7.87
Average	73.7	57.2	65.4	68.7	-3.4	1.15	5	0.39	8.53	5.27
<b>Central</b>										
Alum Fork	68.0	59.5	63.8	68.9	-5.2	2.19	3	1.59	6.08	2.71
Cabot	74.3	57.3	65.8	70.0	-4.0	1.73	3	1.08	3.37	1.09
Conway	71.4	56.6	64.0	69.4	-5.4	1.66	3	0.92	4.98	2.15
Hot Springs	68.8	59.0	63.9	70.6	-7.1	4.47	3	3.82	9.36	5.92
Morrilton	75.6	56.1	65.9	69.0	-3.1	0.94	3	0.14	4.19	1.11
Average	71.6	57.7	64.7	69.6	-5.0	2.20	3	1.51	5.60	2.60
<b>East central</b>										
Brinkley	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	69.7	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Des Arc	72.3	59.7	66.0	70.4	-4.4	2.35	2	1.68	4.00	1.35
Keo	71.4	57.9	64.6	70.5	-5.9	2.64	3	1.85	5.25	2.46
Stuttgart	75.8	60.0	67.9	70.5	-3.0	3.47	4	3.00	4.72	2.56
West Memphis	77.3	59.7	68.5	70.7	-2.0	1.33	3	0.67	3.26	0.54
Average	74.2	59.3	66.8	70.4	-3.8	2.45	4	1.80	4.31	1.73
<b>Southwest</b>										
Ashdown	73.9	60.0	66.9	(NA)	(NA)	5.61	3	4.66	8.77	5.17
De Queen	72.3	60.0	66.1	70.5	-4.4	3.31	3	2.33	8.80	5.26
Hope	70.6	58.9	64.7	70.6	-5.9	4.60	3	3.72	7.17	3.65
Murfreesboro	72.5	58.0	65.3	68.9	-3.7	4.86	2	4.09	6.60	3.48
Nashville	73.6	60.7	67.1	72.2	-5.1	5.45	3	4.56	6.99	3.65
Average	72.6	59.5	66.0	70.6	-4.8	4.77	3	3.87	7.67	4.24
<b>South central</b>										
Camden	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	0.00	0	-0.26	1.38	-0.44
Fordyce	70.0	59.4	64.7	69.2	-4.5	3.99	3	3.14	10.42	7.42
Magnolia	70.9	58.7	64.8	71.1	-6.3	5.55	3	4.72	7.87	5.01
Prescott	65.0	60.3	62.7	69.9	-8.0	4.88	4	4.40	6.71	3.73
Sparkman	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	69.6	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)
Average	68.6	59.5	64.1	70.0	-6.3	3.60	4	3.00	6.59	3.93
<b>Southeast</b>										
Crossett	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	2	2.71	4.21	2.81
Eudora	76.0	63.3	69.7	73.6	-4.3	6.88	3	6.53	6.96	4.45
Pine Bluff	77.5	60.0	68.8	71.6	-3.9	4.75	3	4.27	5.96	3.67
Portland	78.2	61.8	70.0	71.7	-2.0	5.69	5	5.15	7.13	4.62
Rohwer	74.0	62.0	68.3	71.2	-2.8	6.23	4	5.66	6.98	4.73
Average	76.4	61.8	69.2	72.0	-3.3	5.29	5	4.86	6.25	4.06
<b>State</b>	<b>72.9</b>	<b>57.8</b>	<b>65.3</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>-4.0</b>	<b>2.24</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1.54</b>	<b>5.47</b>	<b>2.43</b>

(NA) Not available.

<sup>1</sup> Averaged collected data from 1981-2010.

<sup>2</sup> Departure from normal.